Bill 457 and Bill 738

To whom it may concern,

I cannot express to you how much I despise the idea of forced regionalization. As a resident of Sherman, I think of my town as an example of how to run a small-town school. Our town is not large enough to support a high school, but our middle school is a beacon to families from surrounding towns in CT and NY. Merging it with the surrounding towns would not save our town enough money to justify the sacrifice in education quality and small town community.

Middle school children should not be riding buses all day. I think older people forget how miserable riding the bus can be.

I rarely write to the Legislature about issues. But this is a motivating issue. This is a foolish idea for our state and I will actively campaign any legislator that supports these measures.

Respectfully, Gregory Weiss Sherman, CT